PATENT APPLICATION

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In te the Application of:

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Akio TANABE et al.

Art Unit: 2616

Application No.: 09/758,373

Examiner: Shibru, Helen

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For: RECORDING MEDIUM PLAYBACK METHOD AND APPARATUS

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

June 13, 2005

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated January 13, 2005, the period for response being extended from April 13, 2005 to June 13, 2005, by the attached Petition For Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below:

Amendments to the drawings begin on page 2.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 3.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 4.

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